# MARY SHAW ON THE REAL IBSEN

But She Doesn't Want to Personally See Long - Haired Cranks Who Are Disciples of the Playwright.

IS THE APOSTLE OF WOMEN.

Convincing Drama That Only Her Sex Can and Do Appre-

Long-haired cranks please write. But lon't-for heaven's sake!-don't call. This may come as a sickening shock to you, dear blue-goggled Ibsenite, but it's for your own good.

Mary Shaw-stage priestess of the cult -doesn't want to see you. She doesn't want to be bothered with you. She doesn't want to hear your jaundleed views on Life-your capital "L" kind of Life. She has troubles of her own. Quite enough of them, thank you, without borrowing any from you. Braid your hair and knock your head against anything you please, so long as you don't knock it against her door, for she's not at home to such as you.

For, know you, Miss Shaw is a cheery person, as cheery as any woman can be who follows the life of a repertoire

Why, then, you ask, is she playing in "Ghosts" with such morbid art as to cause exquisite shivers to course up and down your sensitive spine?

Just a Matter of Business.

Business-plain, common, every-day, collars-and-cents business. There's your answer straight from Miss Shaw her Please don't fall on that statuette of

John Wanamaker when you faint! "Do you know," said Miss Shaw, in a healthy, flesh-and-blood sort of way, "I can't help laughing to myself at the papie who imagine I like to wallow in misery. I was greatly amused at

one of the critics who said there was no sunshine in me. He never made a greater mistake. "I'm as full of sunshine as this kind weather will permit a person to be. I like to walk in the sunshine and throw

out my chest and breath it in. No In the shadows out of choice." "Then why do you appear in such gloomy plays as 'Ghosts?' " 'For the most wordly of reasons."

(and hanged if Mrs. Alving of the paretic play didn't wink!) "I suppose," the went on, "my voice is really to blame for it all. I'll nver get over leeling that some one played a trick on the dri giving me this voice. It doesn't keeper match my temperament a bit. I've been at 7.30 o'clock this morning he found all back vesterday after being two hours told it has a quality of hopelessness and sadness. Well, now I don't feel at all that way. I'm as happy and optimistic as circumstances will let me be." No Doubt About It.

had been broken from within. The daor allow Mr. Smith to go to his son. The form of the safe was closed, but unlocked, and boy died last night. All the jury,

organized a company to play 'Ghosts.' The police, who have gone over the Thought it over and refused. The dependent of the concern, are entirely at a loss for any solution of the mystery. They say that there is absolutely no sign of an attempt to break in the place. The theorems again made me, this time to play the part in a performance at that vauit, that more merger another shudden the solution of the mystery. that morgue"--another shudder--"thebut finally gave in. I was really driven into it, because I didn't have strength Mrs. Rellly Sent to Bellevue to of will to hold out against the urging of various persons-because, in short, I was weak-kneed. "I'm not intellectual and I haven't

any use for strange, long-haired, socalled 'intellectual' people. The com-mon-sense, healthy-minded, well-groomed kind are good enough for me. The leg came in for another slap! "Do you now enjoy appearing in Ibsen

Doesn't Exactly Enfoy It.

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"No! I can't say that. But I believe him a man of protound depth and wonderful knowledge, especially when it comes to women. I marvel he should know women so well. Ibsen is the apostic of women, He has taken up the cudgels for them and freed them from the slavery of feudal times. Take Dora in 'Dolls' House,' for instance. There he showed you a woman who was not permitted to think for herself or share in her husband's thoughts. All she was good for was to spank the babies and wips their noses."

"In 'Ghosts' we have the sequel to 'Doll's House.' Mrs. Alving is the mentally and morally developed Dora. And what do we find? A woman who has lived true to the fundamental principles of life and religion; yet a woman who has to suffer the most terrible trials and fearful grief, and through no fault of her own. That's why, in my opinion, so many women come to see 'Ghosts.' They see in it what nearly every woman—of proper age and condition, of course—herself suffers, or has suffered, if not in full, in a degree.

"That's why 'Ghosts' is a powerful and convincing play. That's why Ibsen is great. He isn't motold, from my point of view. He is simply truthful."

HILDA SPONG WILL CHANGE.

To Leave Faversham's Company and Appear in Backett's Play. Miss Hilda' Spong, who is supporting William Faversham in "Imprudence,"

William Faversham in "Imprudence," has resigned. She will soon become the leading woman in James K. Hackett's new play, "The Bishop's Move." She will play the role of the Duchess of Guinton.

Miss Spong says that her reason for leaving Daniel Frohman is that she does not care to travel. She was to have taken a principal role in "Ulyases" after the New York run of "Imprudence" but the length of Mr. Sothern's engagement, at the Garden sidetracked that drama and she had to go on the road. Miss Spong has been under Mr. Frohman's management for five years. Her first appearance was as Imoges: Parrott in "Trelawney of the Wells."

Diamonds for Mrs. Chamberlain SRIETY, Cape Colony, Jan. 30.— Secretary Chamberiain and amberiain arrived here to-day accorded a remarkable recep-e town was lavishly decorated to Chamberiain was presented actor of diamonds by the laties MARGARET ANGLIN'S SUCCESS WINS HER A SUMMER IN EUROPE.



# SAFE ROBBERS

Plate Company and Leave No Clue Whatever.

to-day trying to clear up the mystery that surounds a safe robbery in the offices of the Empire Silver Plate Company, at Nos. 258 and 260 Washington

The offices were closed and locked at 6:29 o'clock last night. When book-Reeper Bistelman arrived at the office many And Miss Shaw slapped her leg-yes, had been broken from within. The door "When Courtney Thorpe and others and twelve watches had ben stolen.

was offered the part of Mrs. Alving. ground and questioned all the employees

THOUGHT HOT STOVE A BANK

Have Sanity Tested.

Katherine Reilly, thirty-two years old, of No. 208 West One Hundred and Seventeenth street, was sent to Belle-

seventeenth street, was sent to Belle-tue Hospital to-day for examination as to her sanity.

According to the woman's husband, she has been acting queerly for about four months. This morning Mrs. Rellly became violent, and putting both hands on a hot stove, shouted:

"Where is my bank? (Where is my money? Where is my home?"

### DEATH OF JUROR'S SON STOPS TRIAL.

M. Rayner.

Circuit Court, Criminal Term, to-day discharged the jury which had heard the case of Isaac M. Bayner, formerly a United States examiner, who was charged with illegally passing chemi-cals of the O. Porsch Chemical Com-

This was the jury that was called the doors closed just as he left them last in the jury room because a message night, with the exception of the door on had been received for J. Boyce Smith. the second floor that led into the office of. No. 299 Alexander avenue, one of where the safe was. The glass in this the jurors, that his young son was door was shattered and strewn about the stairway, giving every indication that it jury until 10.30 o'clock this morning to \$600 worth of silver sheet, \$20 in money including Mr. Smith, were present at the time set to-day, and Judge Thomas the time set to-day, and Judge Thomas had a consultation wit hithe foremen. He was informed that there was little chance of agreement for some time. Judge Thomas.said: "It would be an act of inhumanity to send this jury back under the circumstances."

The case is recorded on the records as a disagreement.

Rayner was freed on bail, and will be tried at the next session of the court.

CONDEMN PRISON AGAIN.

One More Grand Jury Takes s Whack at Raymond Street Jail. The Kings County Grand Jury reported to-day and as usual condemned the women's prison part of the Raymond treet Jail. Every Grand Jury does this.

The Grand Qury also condemned the Morgue, assertin gihat it was found to be in worse condition than its contents. A recommendation is made for a new and modern Morgue.

Poor Appetite

"None o' your dainty eaters for me," said a thrifty

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RIKER'S DRUG STORE,

### garet Anglin, Who a Few Years Ago Saw Empire Plays from a 50-Cent Gallery Seat.

NOW HEADS EMPIRE ACTORS.

She Has Won Such a Great Triumph Frohman Will Give Her a European Tour at His Expense.

ne Empire Theatre to a \$500-a-week salary on the stage of the same playhouse is the twenty-five-word history of the wonderfully successful career of

Miss Margaret Anglin, actress. Miss Anglin is the leading woman of the Empire Theatre Stock Company. This is her second season in that important and high-salaried position. She has won this height in a very few years. It is not so long ago since "The Masqueraders," "IAberty Hall" and "Bohemia" were playing at the Empire Theatre, attracting the usual host of matinee girls and giving the then leading lady of Charles Frohman's theatre chance to sway the emotions of her fair auditors.

She Was Always on Hand.

In the gallery of the house every Satarday afternoon, with hopes and heart beating high, sat Miss Anglin, moved by the play and players and wondering between the flashes of enjoyment whether she would ever be as great an actress and as popular a favorite as the idol she was following so through the performance. She paid 50 cents for the seat she occupied, and ever missed a Saturday matinee. Out of her worship at this shrine grew the desire and dream to some day

fill the position of leading actress at the Empire. After she made her way to the stage and became a member of the Empire Company, the opportunity to show what she could do in a histrinic way came to her, the season before Clean Out Strong Box of Silver Judge Thomas, of United States last, when she played Mrs. Dane in Court, States Case Against I. in that role was complete. It won her he place she now occupies at the head of the Empire Company, and which

she fills with such distinction and brilliancy.

Her success of last season as the heroine of "The Wilderness" had been followed this year by a remarkable triumph in the role of Margaret Fielding in Robert Marshair's play, "The Unforeseen."

She Will Go Abroad. This latter triumph has not only obtained for her recognition as a great emotional artist, but it has brought her another appreciable reward. Charles Frohman, her manager, has notified Miss Anglin that she must spend the summer in London and Paris at his expense, and that over there she would meet the English authors whose heroines she had created here, and who, having heard of her splendid powers, had expressed an earnest desire to meet her.

her. The Unforeseen," which is a phenomenal success, is the only play the Empire Theatre will need this year, so there will be no rehearsals of new plays, and Miss Anglin will sail for Europe June 1. This will be the actrest's first summer's rest since she entered the profession. The past three summers she starred for Mr Frohman in San Francisco at the head of his stock company.

ANARCHIST WOMAN WEEPS.

Man Who Tried to Kill Her Sen-

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 30.-Herman Helcher, who made a murderous assault on Voltairine De Cleyre, an Anarchist, was sentenced to six years and nine months in the Eastern Penitentiary. The extreme penalty is seven years, but The extreme penalty is seven years, but Judge Bregy gave Helcher credit for having pleaded guilty.

Helcher received the sentence calmly, but Miss De Cleyre, who refused to testify against her former lover, was moved to testify and her former lover, was moved to tears.

Helcher says he blamed Miss De Cleyre for excluding him from the Social Science Club, by reason of which he was unable to obtain employment and his aged mother had been obliged to support herself.

## FROM CALLERY TO LEADING LADY TO PASS 'EXAMS?

Remarkable Progress of Mar- Son of Prof. Wheeler, of Yale, Now in Trouble Out West, Said to Have Had Papers Beforehand.

MADISON, Wis., Jan. 30.-Investigation of the gambling scandal in the State University by the faculty has brought out developments that may saed some in "The Unforeseen" that Charles Reginald Vanderbilt his degree of B. A.

### VANDERBILTAIDED One Millon Dollars' Worth of Opium---The Lives It Wrecks and Destroys.

More than \$1,000,000 worth of from deaths and injury to health to all throat and lung troubles; pre-Opium arrived at the port of San men, women and children from the vents pneumonia and consump Francisco recently—it came in the reckless use of such drugs in patent In the fifty years since an eminent Francisco recently—it came in the preparations, many unfortunates specialist prescribed it for the late ordinary course of trade, attracting thus have unconsciously fallen vicno more than passing notice. This time to the deadly drug habit, join- Mass., by whom it was recommended gives an idea of the extent to which ing the ever increasing hopelessly and from whom it derived its name this poisonous and deadly drug is insane at the Sani r ms and Mad it has never falled to do all that is Houses. If this ...ing against claimed for it. Its gentle laxative used. Each year an increasing quan- such preparations tity and the various narcotic drugs preciate this dange taken from it, is used in the patent justify this article medicines and so-called "quick re- written so you will lief" cough cures—this is one reason tance when you res why doctors are opposed to patent these drugs Father

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#### FIGHTING POWER.

Reginald Vanderbilt his degree of B. A. last June.

Arthur S. Wheeler, the instructor who was suspended for gambling, was one of young Vanderbilt's classmates at Yale, and shared with him and others the distinction of having his degree withfield until they passed a special examination in November.

Wheeler's father is a professor of history at Yale and it is now said that Wheeler obtained certain information about the examination questions, and that he communicated this to young Vanderbilt.

When Wheeler was dismissed from the State University he took a place as bartender here. He says he had no money with which to leave town, and knew the fact of his new employment would get into the newspapers, and some friend of the University would, in order to stop the notoriety, offer him something better.

This is just what has happened and he has taken a place with the Omaha Raliroad that pays him 50 per cent. More professor of history and the property nourished with the food elements of Father John's Medicine they can escape colds, prevent pneumonia and ward off all allments. It furnishes vital force by which tile system fights off disease. The money is refunded for any cough or cold it cannot cure. Not a patent medicine.

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#### A STORY FROM WEST VIRGINIA.

"Father John's Medicine is doing People take cold easily at this sea- all that possibly can be done in my son because they are tired and worn case, which is a very stubborn one. I had hemorrhages about three months ago, then I began to waste in strength and my stomach was in elements of Father John's Medicine such shape it could not retain food. they can escape colds, prevent pneu- I have taken about four bottles of monia and ward off all allments. It Father John's Medicine and have furnishes vital force by which the gained over 10 pounds in four weeks, system fights off disease. The money My stomach is in good shape and I is refunded for any cough or cold it can sleep and eat well. The Medicannot cure. Not a patent medicine, cine has done me more good than

#### TO MOTHERS

#### JAMES WHITE'S LETTER.

Boston, says: "I have told dozens of people about it, and they all report the same wonderful success as I had myself with Father John's Medicine for curing heavy colds and run down

Remember, Father John's Medicine is not a "cough syrup" or "balsam," but a food medicine and body builder. It cures colds and all throat and lune cine has done me more good than all the doctors or any other remedy I have used. All my friends are surprised at the way I am improving."

troubles by strengthening the system and driving out the impurities. Its gentle laxative effect strengthens the stomach and corrects the digestion. (Signed) James B. Rice, 639 Main St., Clarksburg, W. Va.

That starts the whole system work-ing right, and you are able to resist the attacks of visiting ailments. You are again warned against patent Mothers with young children need just such nourishment as Father John's Medicine supplies. It makes of some poisonous and injurious drug for their effect-they are dangerous



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